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ATTENTION: REFUND SECTION, ACCOUNTING DIVISION, OFFICE OF FINANCE

REQUEST FOR REFUND

(Improper Charge of Deposit Account)

١. REFUND REQUEST

This is a request for a refund with respect to the charge to Deposit Account No. 04-1121 shown on the statement dated __August 30, 2002 for the above-identified application.

A copy of the monthly statement in which the error referred to occurs accompanies this request.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Dated: ____January 10, 2003

11. FEES CHARGED FOR WHICH REFUND REQUESTED AMOUNT OF REFUND REQUESTED filing fee surcharge for filing the basic filing fee on a date later than the filing date of the application (37 C.F.R. §1.16(e)) and/or <u>X</u> surcharge for filing the oath or declaration \$65.00 on a date later than the filing date of the application (37 C.F.R. §1.16(e)) <u>X</u> extension of term first month second month third month <u>X</u> \$260.00 fourth month excess claims issue fee petition fee patent maintenance fee first maintenance fee second maintenance fee third maintenance fee patent maintenance fee surcharge other ____

TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED

\$ 325.00

III. EXPLANATION OF WHY CONTESTED CHARGE IS IN ERROR

A check in the amount of \$65.00 for late filing of the Declaration/Power of Attorney was enclosed with the Response filed July 3, 2002. A copy of cancelled check no. 16677 is enclosed.

Additionally, a fee of only \$200.00 for only a <u>two</u> month extension to respond to the notice mailed March 4, 2002 by the Patent and Trademark Office, should have been charged to deposit account no. 04-1121.

IV. MANNER OF REFUND

Please make refund by

- X crediting Deposit Account No. 04-1121
- _ refunding payment.

Respectfully requested,

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